

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above application as follows;

IN THE CLAIMS

Amend the claims as follows:

*A1*  
6. (Amended) A compound according to claim 1 wherein at least one of R<sup>1</sup> and R<sup>2</sup> carries an -OH group.

*A2*  
9. (Amended) A compound according to any one of claims 1, 4 or 5 wherein R<sup>4</sup> is of the formula -COR<sup>5</sup>, -SOR<sup>5</sup> or -SO<sub>2</sub>R<sup>5</sup>, wherein R<sup>5</sup> is H, optionally substituted alkyl, optionally substituted cycloalkyl or optionally substituted aryl.